



The Florida State Guard Association, a military organization of all the states, has been organized and the Cleveland boys have joined, while guests of this day.

It will be noted the Cleveland boys, a local military organization of the local military of Florida, after touring the South and the Island of Cuba upon invitation of Capt. A. E. Sprackling, a former member of the Gray, dropped in here and to their surprise found the position they met with in the big circle they sought.

In appreciation of the courtesy extended them the Florida East Coast Automobile Association: "We, the Cleveland Gray of Cleveland, Ohio, in hearty appreciation of the vigorous welcome accorded our officers, members and guests, upon their arrival, and the rare hospitality extended them during their visit, take this opportunity of expressing the sincere gratitude we feel toward the friends who made our tour of nineteen hundred and eight through the Southern States and Cuba so extremely pleasant, that it will long remain our favorite reminiscence."

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S. E. Sprackling, Captain; H. M. Hauley, First Lieutenant; G. B. Scramling, Second Lieutenant; H. P. Shupe, J. E. Ayland, Eugene Quigley, Committee."

After the Standard.

(By United Press.)

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 4.—Announcement of full plans of John W. Gates Company, organized to fight the Standard in Texas, is expected shortly as a result of a conference here between President Cullinan and Vice-President Schlaet, of New York, with local gas and oil boomers. Mr. Schlaet today left for New York to look after floating a bond issue.

SERIOUS CONFLAGRATION AT PORTLAND, MAINE.

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City Was Threatened But The Fire Is Now Under Control—
Loss \$250,000.

(By United Press.)

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 4.—The combined fire departments of this and three other cities are today controlling the flames which have swept away three great piers and freight sheds of the Grand Trunk Ry., entailing a loss of more than a quarter million dollars. The fire for a time endangered the city.

MAKE USE OF THIS FOR A LEAD

Composing Saturday a. m., Dec. 5, and ending Saturday p. m., Dec. 12, the Daily News and the Gazette-News will give 200 coupons in the paper, one for every subscription received for either paper, 1000 coupons for each, as reward for weekly and monthly for daily. This applies for renewals as well as renewals and new subscriptions.

The interest is running high and many are anxious to know about the running. The first count will take place and the first announcement be made on Monday's issue of the daily.

It is high time that other towns besides Dayton awake to the importance of the opportunity. Since only one piano comes to Dayton a comparatively small vote in another place might capture one of the \$200 instruments.

A new candidate in the race is the First Baptist Parsonage. This is a worthy institution and a handsome piano would add very materially to the service. There is no denying the fact that inspiring music adds largely to the interest of the church services.

Mrs. Rice On Witness Stand.

(By United Press.)

"OMAHA, NEB., Dec. 4.—With expectations of revealing the details of her relations with Dr. Frederick Buskin, Mrs. Abbie C. Rice, the state's star witness in the murder trial of Cha. E. Davis, resumed the stand today.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Cameron Thursday night.

SITUATION GROWING MORE
SERIOUS AT HAYTI

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General Simon Holds The Key To
The Situation, But Does
Not Disclose Plans.

(By United Press.)

PORT AU PRINCE, HAYTI, Dec. 4.—Unless General Simon, the most successful organizer of the uprising in the history of Hayti, assumes the reins of government affairs will be in a worse turmoil than at present. Adherents of General Legitime now head the government and are rallying to the support of their leaders, openly declaring that they will fight to put their favorites in the palace. Conditions are very serious. Simon holds the key to the situation but until he can have a conference with his followers he declines to make plans. The advance guard of his revolutionary army entered the city at daybreak.

IN HONOR OF DEAD PRESIDENT.

A Memorial Address in Honor of
Grover Cleveland, Praising
His Sterling Character.

PAUL MORTON MAKES ADDRESS.

(By United Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—A memorial address in honor of the late ex President Grover Cleveland today prefaced the annual meeting of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents. Phoenix-like the organization has arisen from a chaotic state, left so by the searching insurance investigations. Paul Morton, of the Equitable Life Insurance Co., delivered the principal address.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Baker, of Lakeside, Ohio, and Mrs. E. S. Peck of Hemstead, Long Island, arrived in the city Thursday, and are guests of The Glenn, on North Beach street.

HOME OF THE PALMETTO CLUB

The elements did not smile propitiously upon the ladies of the Palmetto Club for their opening meeting of the season 1908-9. An uncomfortably strong wind, attended by sheets of rain at intervals demanded that the ladies get out their wraps, and otherwise fortify themselves against adverse weather conditions.

One gathered in their club room, no dampening of their ardor was observable. The president, Mrs. Howard Y. Stillman opened the meeting in a cherry and animated style, which was contagious, and soon all were at their best. The president's opening address was timely, and well received.

Mrs. Jessie Brown came next with a piano solo, which enlivened the meeting.

The president next introduced Miss Amelia Potter, who served the club as third president. Miss Potter, having attended the Boston meeting of the General Federation of Womans' Clubs at its recent meeting gave a most interesting paper touching the proceedings of such exceptional ability.

The social committee were:

Mesdames Louise McLaren, C. B. D. Clegg, Gertrude W. Each, Susie M. Merrill, and Harriett W. Blodgett.

During the summer the Palmetto Club rooms have been nicely decorated and worked over. They were very fresh and beautifully attractive. The members anticipate a series of meetings of both interest and profit.

The officers of the club were the hostesses of the day and after the feast of intellectual pabulum the physical was looked after, tea and wafers being served.

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The Equinox Storm Fable.
The United States weather bureau has denied that the coming of the equinox brings with it a storm. The belief, it says, that the old fashioned people put in this theory is all misplaced. Any big storm that happens to occur within a week or two of the time that the sun is crossing the line, say the weather men, is dignified by the name of "equinoctial storm," when, as a matter of fact, there is generally some atmospheric disturbance every week or two, and those that occur about the time of the equinox are just taking their turn and are not the result of the crossing of the sun.

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POPE ORANGE, Dec. 2.—J. H. Davis, who had been visiting near Homestead, returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark arrived from Indiana last week, and have rented one of Mr. Baker's houses.

Capt. Myron Briggs returned home last week after spending the summer North.

Mr. and Mrs. Tribbell, and fifteen others, arrived Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Lutberry, their little grandson and his nurse, arrived last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, and a friend have arrived, and are at home in the houseboat which he bought last spring from Mr. Davis.

Miss Milburn and Miss May Milburn came home and spent Thanksgiving, as did also Miss May Fair and Chauncy Van.

We called on J. White last week, and found him busy superintending the cleaning up around their property.

Dr. and Mr. Whitten, and Mrs. Whitten's sister, are comfortably located in Mrs. Fox's cottage, on Ridgewood avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Schroeder, and their grandson, arrived Saturday.

W. C. Howes has opened his real estate office.

Mr. Hyden bought the Spaulding place, at Blake, and has moved into it.

WHEN BATHS WERE RARE.

The Time When a Dandy Washed His Face Nearly Every Day.

It will come as a shock to some readers to learn that one of the most serious occupations of a fifteenth century wife was to protect her husband from fleas.

Taking into consideration, however, the horror with which the people of those days regarded cold water and clean clothes, it is not surprising to learn that the question of exterminating these insects made life a burden.

Cleanliness was not only looked upon as a dangerous custom, but a positive sin. The soul alone was regarded as of any importance, so that the neglect of the body became so much a virtue that a bath was only allowed in cases of illness. At any rate, water had no place in the toilet of the grand monarque. His valet after pouring flask containing spirits of wine over the hands of his majesty passed a comb through his hair, thus completing his toilet for the day.

In the seventeenth century, however, cleanliness was carried to such an excess that an English dandy was expected to wash his face "nearly every day." So rapidly did the custom spread that it was necessary to issue a solemn warning that the practice of using water for this purpose "injures the eyesight, engenders toothache and catarrh, renders the complexion colorless and makes the skin susceptible to cold in the winter and heat in the summer."

Washing seems to have been more popular in the eighteenth century in France than in England, this in spite of the fact that water was forbidden in the former country. A lost art, according to M. Franklin in "La Civilite du XIII. au XIX. Siecle," is that of blowing one's nose. Today it is a more or less perfunctory necessity, but in the seventeenth century it was an accomplishment. One person imitated the blast of a trumpet, another the swearing of a cat. Possibly snuff taking, which was the fashionable habit of that day, had something to do with its accomplishments, perfection in which consisted in making "neither too much nor too little noise."

Another noteworthy fact on the etiquette of those days is that nobody ever knocked at the door. The correct thing was to scratch softly with the nail of the finger, which the dandies of the day kept extremely long. Etiquette was so right, in fact, that it is said that the Duchesse de Montpensier spent a quarter of her life in mental torture as to whether different individuals admitted to her presence were entitled to sit on chairs with backs or only on stools.

A Fine Pair.
"What do you think of the two candidates?" asked one elector of another during a recent contest.

"What do I think of them?" was the reply. "Well, when I look at them I'm thankful only one of them can get in."—London Telegraph.

Through Her Head.
"Bugsy gets out of all patience with his wife. He says she can't get a thing through her head."

"That's funny. He told me everything he said to her went in one ear and out of the other."

Hot Water.
Hyker—Troubled with indigestion, eh? You should drink a cup of hot water every morning. Pyker—I do, but they call it coffee at my boarding house.—London Express.

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Despland Hotel.

Recent arrivals at the Hotel Despland are as follows: W. H. Newcomb, Chicago; L. P. Hutchison, Baltimore, Md.; Geo. W. Knader, Philadelphia; D. Juan Alvarez, Lima, Peru.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Alger, of Toledo, Ohio, are located for the season in Mrs. C. E. Ellenwood's cottage on Bay street.

Because of the inclement weather yesterday evening the Crystal theatres had no show. The program advertised for last night will be given tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blackwell, of Altoona, Pa., arrived in the city Thursday with the idea of remaining during the season if they find a location to please them.

W. J. Morgan and family arrived last night, as expected, from Bellair, Ohio, and are located for the season in their handsome winter home, on North Ridgewood avenue.

Mitting the Pipe.

When Jones got home the other night he found the family in a panic and the house being flooded from a burst water pipe. The first thing he did was to scold his wife for not having sense enough to go down to the cellar and hammer up the supply pipe to prevent the water from escaping. Then he went downstairs and was soon heard hammering vigorously. After some minutes' strenuous work, giving one last mighty blow, he asked, "How is it now?"

"There is no difference in the flow of the water," his wife calmly replied, "but as the light has gone out I very much fear you have hammered up the gas pipe."—Exchange.

The Garden of Eden.

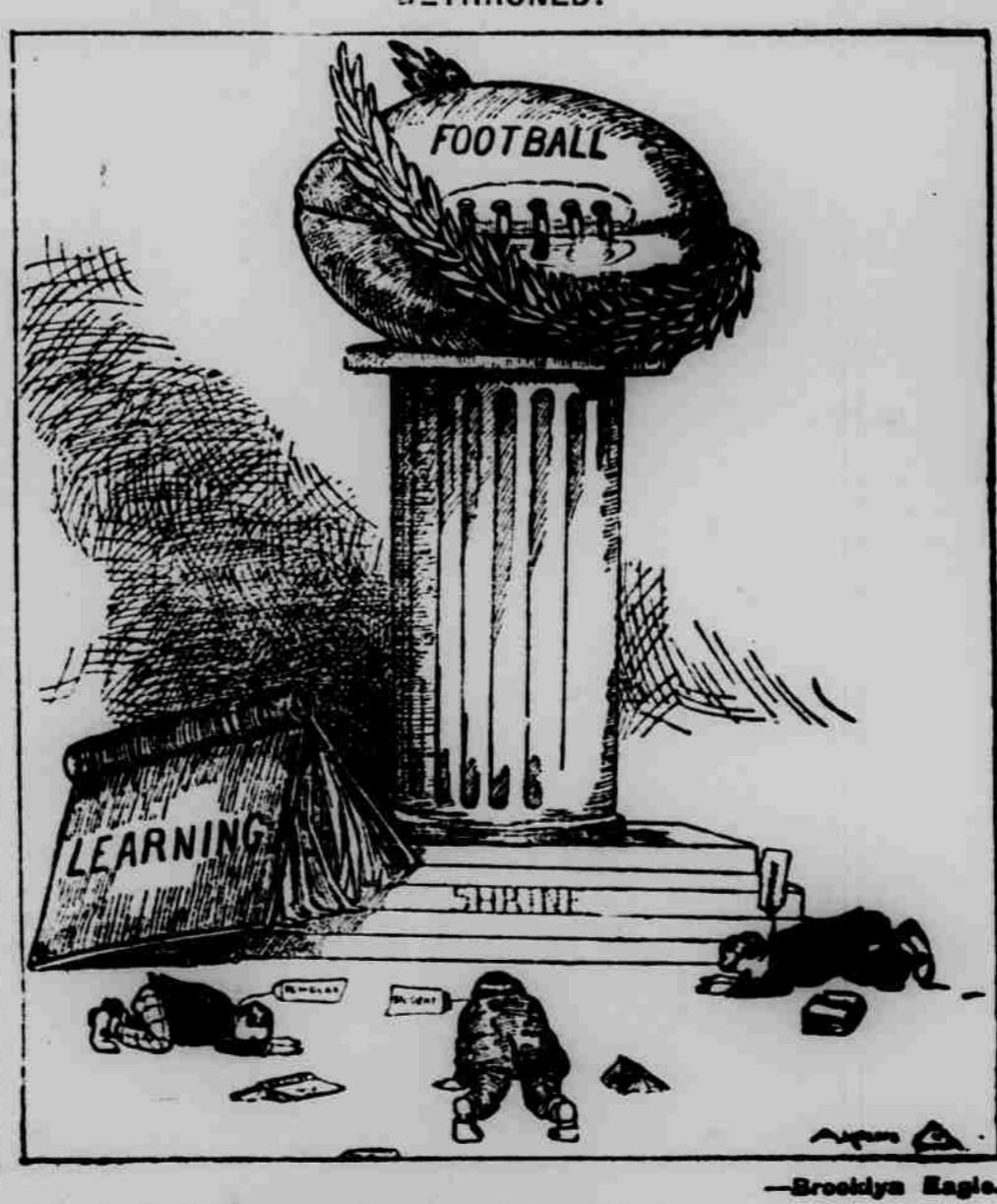
The passage in Genesis in which the location of the garden of Eden seems to be indicated has long been a bone of contention among theologians and Biblical students generally. The discussion of the subject has been as ingenious as it has been fruitless. The garden has been located all over Asia. The Biblical account would seem to place Eden in the old Mesopotamia, the region of the "great rivers," the Euphrates and Tigris.—New York American.

Tennyson's Terror.
There are many stories of Tennyson in the Duke of Argyl's book, "Passages From the Past," and one of the most characteristic relates to the time when the marriage of his grace, then the Marquis of Lorne, and Princess Louise was in the air. One day Tennyson had a number of guests at luncheon, among whom was the Marquis of Lorne. In the course of talk the marquis told Tennyson, then poet laureate, that the queen liked his new volume.

"I am glad to hear it," Tennyson said in his sonorous, slow, musical bass voice. "I have given a good account of her in that volume, but the newspapers don't like my rhymes—say they are bad. I live in terror," he continued, "of any of the queen's family marrying and bearing from her that she hopes I will write something. I have no news of that kind yet, but I live in terror of it."

This with a solemnly sly wink.

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Attorney Cary D. Landis, of DeLand, is in the city.

A New Yorker, a big game hunter of many years' experience, was lion shooting in Uganda. He had excellent luck. Nearly every day he posed in a complacent attitude beside a freshly killed lion, and his photographer snapped him for the magazines.

One afternoon the photographer, who was taking a nap in the hut, was awakened by a loud noise. He rose and looked out. Sprinting toward him from the jungle, hat gone and coat tails flying, came his chief, and, with terrible roars and growls, a huge lion bounded at his heels.

The photographer gazed spellbound at the strange and exciting picture. His chief, perceiving him, shouted: "Quick, quick! Open the door, George! I'm bringing him home alive!"—Washington Star.

Spelling a Tragedy.

"If you don't marry me," he said desperately, "I shall kill myself."

"And write a note telling all about it?" queried the maid.

"Yes."

"And hold my photograph in your other hand?"

"Well, just wait a minute," she said. "and I'll borrow pa's pistol for you. My, but won't it be romantic?"

But he faded.

Assume in adversity a countenance of prosperity and in prosperity moderate thy temper.—Livy.

Owing to the bad weather, the meeting of the various committees from this city, Port Orange, Holly Hill and Ormond in regard to the drainage plan for the hammock land did not take place Thursday night, as scheduled.

Robert Jarling, chef of the Des-

plan, and crew arrived Thursday

Mr. Jarling, who is from Boston,

held the same position at this popu-

lar hotel last winter.

It was caught on Cottage avenue by

Wm. Fox, of the Rix livery. The negro

was picked up and given medical attention,

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RACE BEGAN ON RIDGEWOOD AVE.

A negro driver for J. L. Pattillo's Port Orange grocery store had a close call for his life about noon Friday by being mixed up in a runaway. It is not known what started the race but it is thought the untying of one end of the trace is responsible for the mishap. The horse made a wild dash up Ridgewood and out Cottage avenue, leaving the wagon, driver and most of the harness behind.

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GENERAL JOSE MIGUEL GOMEZ.

The president elect of Cuba is forty-five years old and a native of Santa Clara province. He won his military rank in the revolution of 1868, in which he became division commander in Santa Clara. In that command he bore the brunt of the fighting against General Weyler. He was elected a member of the Cuban assembly at the close of the Spanish-American war, and the American provisional governor subsequently appointed him governor of Santa Clara.

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